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For the possible benefit of anyone subsequently evaluating the scope and/or validity of the above patent, it is respectfully requested that the following references cited in the corresponding International Search Report, be placed in the file wrapper:

- 1. Japanese Patent Publication No. 2000-264178, with English abstract;
- 2. Japanese Utility Model Application Laid-Open No. 5-49538, with English abstract;
- 3. Japanese Patent Publication No. 2001-280495, with English abstract;
- 4. Japanese Patent Publication No. 2002-303367, with English abstract.

The undersigned has not reviewed the teachings of these references in detail and thus makes no representations concerning their relevancy or materiality.

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